

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: King et al.  
Serial No.: 10/715,147  
Filed: November 17, 2003  
For: *Regiospecific Synthesis of Nicotine Derivatives*

Confirmation No: 1906  
Group Art Unit: 1631  
Examiner: M. Barker

Date: May 2, 2006

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of one (1) month(s) to respond to the Official Action dated November 2, 2006
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

is filed herewith.

has been filed.

3. Applicant:

Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Does not claim small entity status.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):

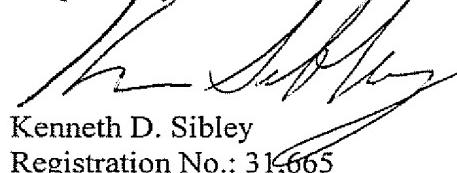
Total Months <u>Requested</u>	Fee For Other <u>Than Small Entity</u>	Fee for <u>Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,020.00	<b>\$510.00</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

Fee Enclosed \$0.00

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- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.
- Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid (a duplicate is enclosed for fee processing)

Respectfully submitted,

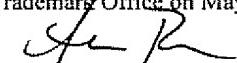


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